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In Reply Refer To: 1278-FOIA (640) FOIA# 2017-00578

Sarah Lamdan 34257-69149928@requests.muckrock.com.

Dear Ms. Lamdan:

This letter is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, dated March 02, 2018. In your letter, you asked for the following:

"Records reflecting the current personnel staffing levels and organizational structure (organizational charts, etc.), as well as the personnel budget for the BLM office of Energy, Minerals and Realty Management and for the BLM Office of Law Enforcement and Security. We also request personnel and budget related records reflecting the personnel organization and budget for these offices from the months of November 2016, December 2016, and January 2016."

After a thorough search of our files, we have realized that the information you seek is publicly available in the following link below:

 $https://www.doi.gov/sites/doi.gov/files/uploads/fy2018\_blm\_budget\_justification.pdf \\ https://www.blm.gov/about/organization-chart.$ 

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If you have any questions regarding this request, please contact Sheriff Oladepo, BLM WO FOIA Specialist, at (202) 912-7650 or via email at BLM\_WO\_FOIA@blm.gov.

Sincerely,

Ryan Witt, Acting Chief Division of Intergovernmental and External Affairs